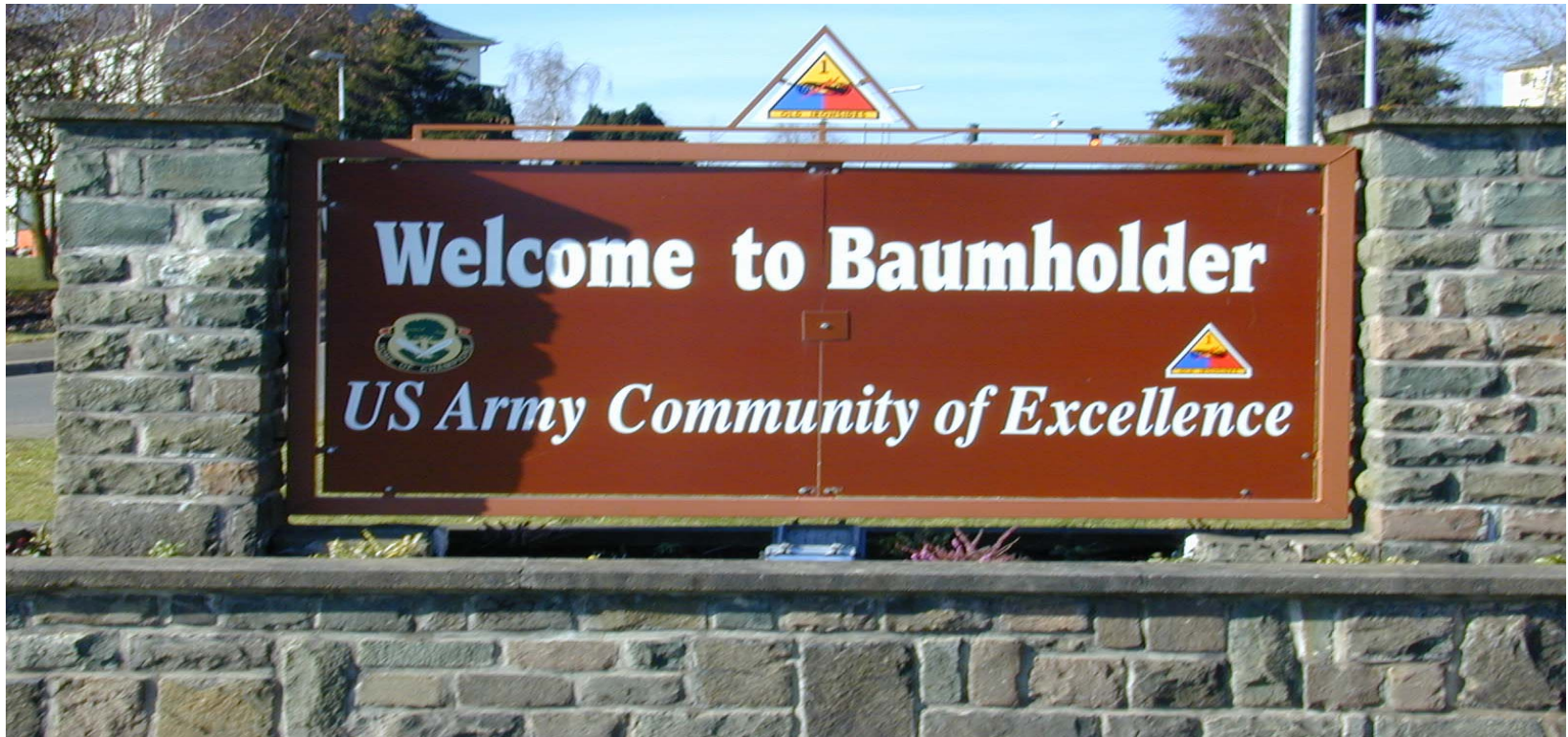




BAUMHOLDER COMMUNITY LINKS



31 March 2004

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AGENDA

Opening Remarks

S2/3

S1

Voting Officer

JAG

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CHAPLAINS HEALTH CLINIC

BCSC

DCA

PAO

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OPENING REMARKS

**Commander
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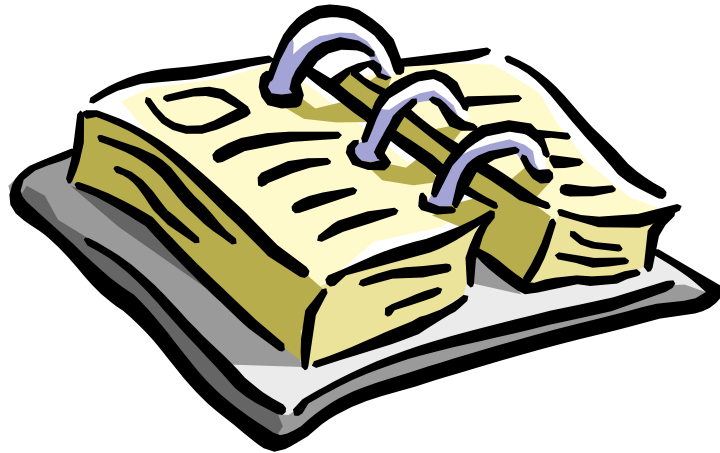
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222d BSB S2/S3
485-1530

CALENDAR OVERVIEW



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APRIL 2004

- 2 USAREUR Training Holiday
No DODDS School
- 4 Daylight Saving Time Begins in the United States
- 5-9 DODDS Spring Break
- 9 Good Friday, German Holiday
- 11 Easter Sunday, Brunch at Rheinlander
- 12 Easter (Ostermontag), German Holiday
- 23 Buccaneer Night, 5:30pm, Rheinlander
- 27 Townhall, 4pm, Rheinlander
- 28 LINKS, 10am

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MAY 2004

- 9 Mother's Day, Brunch at Rheinlander
- 20 German Holiday
- 21 LN Shop Day
- 25 Town Hall meeting, 4pm
- 26 LINKS, 10am
- 28 USAREUR Training Holiday
- 31 Memorial Day
German Holiday

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JUNE 2004

- 9 Last day of DODDS School
- 10 German Holiday
- 11 LN Shop Day
- 17 Community Welcome Home Ceremony
- 20 Father's Day
- 21 USAREUR Training Holiday
- 29 Town Hall, 4pm Rheinlander
- 30 LINKS, 10am Rheinlander

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“ADJUTANT’S CORNER”

485-6080

- Family Members can pick-up Bulk MPS Mail that was mailed to them at bldg # 8461 Monday – Friday from 13:00 – 17:00.
- For Safety reasons, please do not bring children into this MPS mail storage facility
- Units returning from downrange must coordinate with the CMR Supervisor (Ms. Leza) for a unit pick-up date for MPS mail that soldiers mailed to themselves

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The Army Voting Assistance Program

Computers located at the Army Community Service (ACS) and the Army Learning Center (Education Center) are available for Soldiers, their family members and overseas DA Civilian employees and their family members to fill out a Federal Post Card Application (FPCA) SF 76 via the internet. The computers at the Army Learning Center are also available on the weekends.

Contact your Unit's Voting Assistance Officer (VAO) for additional assistance.



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The Army Voting Assistance Program

Absentee ballots may be requested from your state of residence. Please follow instructions below:

Go to www.fvap.gov

In left menu bar, click on “ On-line Federal Post Card Application”.

Go to bottom of this page and click on “ Click Here To Get Form”.

Click on your respective state of residence for “OFPCA”. (The state VAG will give you more detailed information for individual state guidelines.)

Read ALL instructions before downloading the form.

Fill out the absentee ballot request form and mail per directions of your state.
(Generally, this is mailed to the Supervisor of Elections in your state capital.)

POC:

Unit Voting Assistance Officer

222nd BSB Senior Voting Assistance Officer: MSG Reed at DSN : 485-7138.

222nd BSB Alternate Senior Voting Assistance Officer: Ms. Tyler at DSN : 485-8892.

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Staff Judge Advocate

The Baumholder Tax Center is Here!

- SERVICES OFFERED:
 - FREE Income Tax Assistance
 - Federal & State Returns
 - Electronic Filing
- HOURS:
 - Mon-Thurs 0900-1700
 - Fri 0900-1500
 - -- Sat 0900-1200
- LOCATION:
 - Building 8670, next to Community Bank
 - 485-8644
- TAX SEASON:
31 Jan 2004 – 30 Sep 2004

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Staff Judge Advocate

Changed Walk In Hours and Location

Walk In Family Law Counseling

Building 8222: Tuesdays 9 am to 12 noon

R4 Site: Tuesday 1 pm to 4 pm & Fridays from 1 pm to 4 pm

Walk In Wills and Claims

Building 8222: Wednesdays from 9 am to 4 pm

Effective 16 March to 17 June

Soldiers in 7 day reintegration have priority

Recommend you call for an appointment, 485-6506

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Baumholder Education Center Upcoming Events

Functional Academic Skills Training (FAST)

05-19 Apr 2004

Term 4 College and Adult Education Courses

29 March-21 May 2004

Adult Education

English as a Second Language (ESL) Course Wed/Fri 1100-1300 Hrs

Professional Ethics of the NCO (ASEP class for NCO's) 19-23 Apr 1300-1700 Hrs

REMINDER

Foreign Language Proficiency Pay (FLPP)

eArmyU contact ed center regarding extension

Check Command Information Channel for College Term Schedule

Army Emergency Relief Spouse Education Assistance Application Deadline:

10 May 04 For Term 5

University of Oklahoma Representative – 06 Apr 04

University of Phoenix Representative – 07 Apr 04

New financial aid forms for 2003-04 now available.

Visit the Education Center in building 8332 or call 485-7557

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Troops to Teachers

“Teaching as a Second Career Seminar”

DATE: April 28, 2004

General Session: 0900 -1100

Individual Counseling Sessions: 1300 -1630

Location: Baumholder Education Center

Representatives from Virginia, Texas and Western States

POC: Michaelene Tyler 485-7557

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ACAP SERVICES

- **KBR Recruiting Visit, 7-9 @ Wiesbaden ACAP**
- **Briefing 0900-1000, followed by individual interviews**
- **Call DSN: 337-5709 for appt**

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ACAP SERVICES

- **VA Benefits Briefing – 27 April 2004**
- **Delivered by VA Benefit CONUS Counselors**
- **One on one appointments**
- **Must be pre-registered**

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ACAP SERVICES

- **ACAP Pre Separation Briefings: 0900-100hrs.**
- **Job Assistance Workshops**
- **20, 21 April 2004 - Pre-registration required**

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Community Religious Support

Office of the Community Chaplain

DSN 485-1570

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Community Religious Support - Ministry Team Personnel -

- Chaplains

- Chaplain (LTC) Cerrone, Community CH
- Chaplain (CPT-P) Joseph Vieira, Deputy Community CH
- Chaplain (MAJ) Anderson, Assoc. Cmty CH (NG)
- Chaplain (MAJ) Horning, 2d BCT Rear-Det CH (USAR)
- Chaplain (MAJ) Francis, DivArty Rear-Det CH (USAR)

- Chaplain Assistants

- SSG Linda Roof
- PFC Alicia Johnson
- PV2 Kristen Hart

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Community Religious Support

- Special Services Schedule -

- Additional Services during R4 period
 - Catholic Mass on Saturdays at 1800 (from 3 April to 24 April)
 - Collective Protestant Service on Sundays at 1800 (from 21 March-9 May)
- Catholic (St. Michael Chapel #2)
 - 4 Apr, 1100 Palm Sunday
 - 8 Apr, 1800 Mass of Our Lord's Supper
 - 9 Apr, 1500 Good Friday
 - 10 Apr, 2100 Easter Vigil
 - 11 Apr, 1100 Easter Mass
- Collective Protestant (Chapel #1)
 - 8 Apr, 1800 Maundy Thursday Service
 - 9 Apr, 1800 Tenebrae Service
 - 11 Apr, 0930 Easter Service
- Community - 11 Apr 0630 Easter Sunrise Service (Chapel #1)

Chapels #1 and #2 are located on Smith Barracks, Baumholder. Contact the 222d BSB Ministry Team at DSN 485-1570, or commercial (06783) 6-1570.

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Community Religious Support Other Faith Services

- **Eastern Orthodox**
 - **Chaplain Sahady, DSN 480-5753**
- **Jewish**
 - **Rabbi Cohen DSN 480-6149**
- **Islamic**
 - **Chaplain Al-Mubarak, DSN 489-6859**

Note: Special Services days and times to be determined

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Community Religious Support Worship Services

- Catholic Masses
 - First Saturday 1800, *En Espanol*, Chapel #2 (Smith)
 - Sunday 1100, St. Michael Chapel #2 (Smith)
 - Sunday 1700, North Chapel, Ramstein AFB
 - Daily 1200 (duty days), St. Michael Chapel #2 (Smith)
- Collective Protestant
 - Sunday 0930, Good Samaritan Chapel #1 (Smith)
 - Sunday 1100, St. George Chapel (Strassburg)
- Lutheran Holy Communion Service
 - Sunday 0800, Good Samaritan Chapel #1 (Smith)
- Gospel
 - Sunday 1230, Good Samaritan Chapel #1 (Smith)
- Korean Assembly of God
 - Sunday 1600, Good Samaritan Chapel #1 (Smith)

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Community Religious Support Religious Education

- **Catholic**
 - **Christian Doctrine Classes**
 - **Sundays 0900 – 1015 (Smith Elementary School)**
 - **Tuesdays 1800-1900/1930 – RCIC/RCIA (Chapel #2)**
- **Collective Protestant**
 - **Smith Barracks Consolidated Sunday School Hour**
 - **Sundays 1100 – 1200 (Chapel #1)**
 - **Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC) Bible Study**
 - **Mondays 1800 – 2000 (Chapel #1)**
 - **Wednesdays 0900-1130 (Chapel #1)**

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Community Religious Support Youth

- **Catholic Youth of the Chapel**
 - **Sundays, 1300 – 1500, Family Life Center**
- **Protestant Youth of the Chapel**
 - **Tuesdays, Family Life Center**
 - **“Soulfire,” 6th – 8th grades, 1700 – 1845**
 - **“Insight,” 9th – 12th grades, 1900 – 2100**

POC: Chaplain Francis, DSN 485-7100

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Baumholder Health Clinic

- What do you do when no appointments are available?
- If it is an emergency you can go to the Krankenhaus or Landstuhl ER.
- If it is not life threatening and you feel that you cannot wait until the next available appointment.
 - You can come to the clinic and a nurse will talk to you to decide if you need to be seen in an emergency appointment.
 - You can call the 24 hour nurse hotline , 0800-825-1600

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Baumholder Health Clinic

- Where do you go when the clinic is closed and you have an emergency?
- You can go to the Landstuhl Regional Medical Center ER.
- You can go to one of the Krankenhaeuser
 - Baumholder: 06783-180
 - Birkenfeld: 06782-180
 - Idar-Oberstein: 06781-660
 - Military Krankenhaus Liaison: 06783-6-6090
- For an ambulance call the DRK at 19222

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Baumholder Health Clinic Depression

A change in appetite, sleep difficulties, mood changes, loss of interest in usual activities, feelings of hopelessness, helplessness, or worthlessness can be your body's way of telling you to seek *assistance for depression*.

Ms Patricia McKellar, a Licensed Clinical Social Worker is now part of the Family Practice Clinic at Baumholder. Call for an appointment at 485-8080

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MEDICAL CARE DURING REINTEGRATION PERIOD

- Clinic appointments same day only except well baby and OB
- Acute Care only for the six week period
- Should be adequate access for acute care needs
- Well Baby and OB Care will continue as usual
- Access to Pediatric Care should not be impacted
- Wellness visits and other routine services postponed
- Physical Therapy will be AD Only
- Use of Krankenhaus during clinic hours authorized

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RENOVATION CHANGES

- Clinic renovation has begun
- New traffic patterns in place now
- Parking in front of buildings for customers only
- Parking in the rear compound is for staff only
- Clinic separated from SWS, EDIS, HQ, TRICARE and the Pharmacy
- Phone System Glitches

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Baumholder Community Spouses Club

Come join us at the April luncheon on April 21 at 1130 in the Rheinlander. We will be voting on the board for next year, so be sure and join us! Childcare will be provided on site if you contact Cher Lim by April 7 at cher.lim@us.army.mil or BC/189 302

It's Not Too Late to Join!

Memberships are available for \$8.00 for the rest of the year (ending in May 2004). Applications are available at the Thrift Shop and the Welcome Center or contact the Membership Secretary, Jill.Watson@us.army.mil for further information.

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Baumholder Community Spouses Club

Changes Are Coming

Due to the re-deployment of troops to Baumholder, our May luncheon will be held on May 5, instead of May 19. Childcare reservations are due to Cher Lim no later than April 21 at cher.lim@us.army.mil

The Thrift Shop will be closed May 15 - June 6 so that the employees may spend time with their spouses. When they re-open, the Thrift Shop will be open all Training Holidays.

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485-8188

ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

Newcomers' Orientation and Welcome

12 – 14 Apr 04

0830 – 1430

ACS, Bldg. #8746



Learn more about your new community and German culture.

Activities include:



Community Information
Idar-Oberstein visit
AFTB Level I



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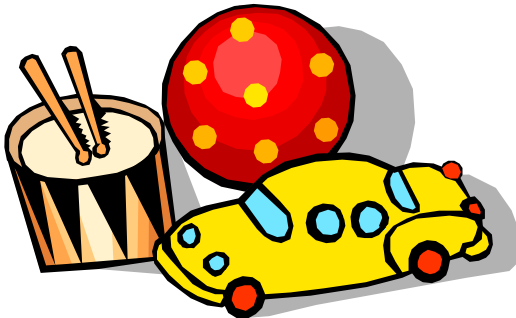
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Baumholder Toy and Book Exchange



The *Toy and Book Exchange* program gives families the opportunity to come to ACS and get “new-to-you” toys and books for kids who have been playing with the same old toys since their household goods were shipped. We need a lot of toys and books to get this program off the ground!



We need donations of toys and books
in good condition!



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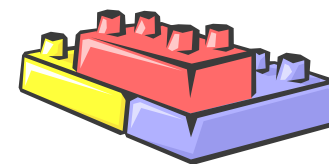


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Emergency Placement Care

We NEED You!



What is Emergency Placement Care?

Children who cannot be cared for by their natural family or legal guardian due to maltreatment need a safe haven. The Emergency Placement Care program is a voluntary, short-term program that provides 24-hour care in emergency situations for eligible children.

Earn Volunteer Hours

Contact Jenny Gerber in the
Army Community Service Center
DSN: 485-8188 CIV: 06783-68188

Short-term Care

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ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

485-8188

Strassburg Family Support Office



Now Open!

Bldg. 9032

Open
Mon, Wed, & Fri
0830 – 1230

Located in the Mailroom/Rudy's Complex

- Free Internet Access
- Cooking and craft classes
- Easy access to ACS information
- Support Groups

and so much more!



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ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

485-8188

Army Family Team Building



Level I

14 APR 04

0830 – 1400

AFTB Classroom

Free child care available with advance reservation!
Call AFTB today to reserve your space, 485-8542.

“Empowering families for the 21st Century”

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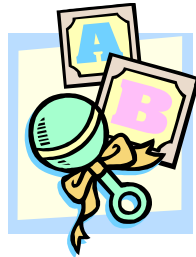
485-8188

New Parent Play Group

For parents and their babies (ages birth to 1 year)

Every Tuesday, 1000 – 1100

Parent and Tot Playgroup
every Monday, 1000 – 1130,
at the Iron Kids' Playgroup Room
(in the Old USO Building, under JAG)



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ARMY COMMUNITY SERVICE

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2004 Job Fair

Hosted by ACS Employment Readiness Program

- ★ NAF
- ★ AAFES
- ★ Community Bank
- ★ Service Federal Credit Union
- ★ TKS
- ★ CPO
- ★ and many more!



Fri, 23 Apr 04
1000 - 1500
Rheinlander

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485-8188

Victim Advocate Program

Does your partner....

- Insult you in public or in private?
- Tell you jealousy and possessiveness are signs of love?
- Prevent you from getting or keeping a job?

Love is the flower that grows..



Violence is the weed that destroys it.

Know your rights

- You have the **RIGHT** to put yourself first.
- You have the **RIGHT** to be safe and not in fear of being abused.
- You have the **RIGHT** to love and be loved.

Seek victim advocacy services by calling the Family Advocacy Program,
DSN 485-8188 or civilian 06783-68188.

Because love should never speak through violence!

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CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

485-7198

Youth Services CHILDREN'S EASTER ACTIVITIES

Sunday, 11 Apr 04, Rheinlander

- **Free**
- **Egg Hunt, ages 3-12**
- **1215 – Be on time...the hunt is fast!**
- **Activities during brunch, 1015-1330**

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CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

485-7198

Youth Services

- **1 May** **Lock-in for Torch Club members only at the Underground,
Time: 1900-0800**
- **7 May** **Keystone sponsored dance for high school students at the
Teen Café, Time: 1900-2300**
- **14 May** **Family spaghetti dinner at Neubrücke YS
No cost, Time: 1800-1930**

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CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

485-7198

School Age Services Spring Break Day Camp

- **1st-6th grade @ Wetzel SAS, 485-7475**
- **5 – 9 Apr 04**
- **Registration on space-available basis**
- **Must be registered with CYS**

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CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

485-7198

Summer Hire

- **Supervisors submit Request for Personnel Actions**
- **On-line application begins 15 March**
- **Students 14-23 years old**
- **Work 28 Jun - 6 Aug**
- **Clerical, labor, and child care jobs available**
- **Apply at your local youth center**

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CHILD AND YOUTH SERVICES

485-7198

Missoula Children's Theatre In-residence Program – “Little Red Riding Hood”

3-8 May 04, Baumholder High School Theatre

- Students in K-12th grades eligible to audition
- Auditions held on 3 May; rehearsals throughout the week.
- Performances on Saturday, 8 May, at 1500 and 1900.
- Admission for performance: adult – \$1.00; children – free
- Backstage and volunteer opportunities available!
- Show is cast entirely from 222^d BSB talent – Come and join the fun!

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COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6352

Keepsake Arts and Crafts

- Weekly children's activities at 1400-1600, Fridays in April.
- Black & white photo class at 1800-2000, 5, 12, 19, & 26 Apr, \$25 per class. Film, paper, and chemicals are provided.
- Still-life drawing class at 1600-1700, Fridays in April, \$30.



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COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6352

Keepsake Arts and Crafts

- Easter photo special – sitting fee, 2-3x5, 2-5x7, 6-wallets, \$30
- Easter quilt wall hanging – 8 Apr, 1200-1400, price: \$25+material
- Child's cross-stitch class (for children 8 years and older) – 22 Apr, 1500-1600, price: \$5 per child
- Scrap-booking – 7 & 28 Apr, 1700-1800



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COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6352

Outdoor Recreation Adventure/Sightseeing Trips

Ski Trips

08-12 Apr Easter Ski Trip – Kaprun Austria
16-18 Apr Adventure Weekend - Switzerland
23-26 Apr Spring Ski Trip – Dorfgastein,
Austria

Shopping/Sightseeing Trips

03 Apr Frankfurt Zoo
18 Apr Legoland – Germany



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COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6156



Birthday Pool Party Pack

\$50-Pool-Party-Pack includes up to 20 swimmers for two hours of pool time and the use of a large room with tables and chairs. Party times are on Saturdays and Sundays, 1200 – 1400 and 1430 – 1630. Call for reservations – DSN 485-6156 or Civilian 06783-6-6156.

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COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6156



AEROBICS AT THE RHAC

Fitness Center RHAC

Time: 0915 Step Aerobics

Days: Tue & Thu

Time: 1900 Step Aerobics

Days: Mon, Wed, Fri

Pool RHAC

Time: 0930 & 1730 Water Aerobics

Days: Tue & Thu

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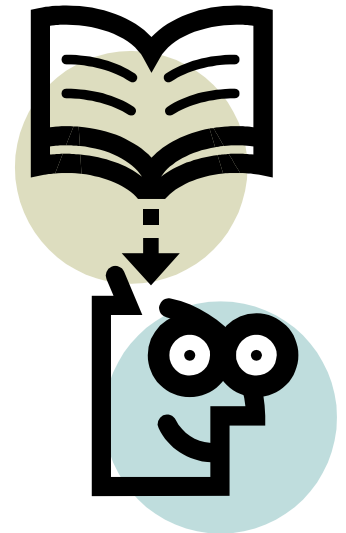
COMMUNITY RECREATION DIV.

485-6156

Baumholder Library

*Volunteers are needed to help with the
2004 Summer Reading Program.*

Call 485-1740



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BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIV.

485-7507

Rheinlander Convention Center

Easter Sunday Brunch--Reservations Only

11 Apr 04 – 1000 and 1200 seatings

Egg Hunt at 1215



Indoor Garage Sale

17 Apr 04

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BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIV.

485-7507



SHOOTERS ***(formerly Rod & Gun)***



- **New name for dining and dancing: SHOOTERS**
- **It is here! New range machines to include a rolling rabbit.**
- **Now serving from ballroom due to front restaurant renovations.**
- **Coming in April: salad specials all month long.**



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BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIV.

485-7507

Rolling Hills Golf Course



- ***Nike Demo Day***
16 Apr 04, 1200-1700
Check out the new Nike golf products line.
10% off all Nike golf products (clearance items not included).
- ***Spring Tee-off***
24 Apr 04, 0900 start
\$25 entry fee, non-members pay green fees, scramble
- ***ENCS Welcome Home Tournament***
05 Jun 04 – tee times starting at 0900
More details to follow

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BUSINESS OPERATIONS DIV.

485-7507

Rudy's Bar & Grill

- **Rudy's is now open Tue-Sat with events happening every night. Call for information .**
- **Watch the baseball game of the week each Saturday at Rudy's starting at 1800 on our large screen television. The season starts 1 Apr 04.**

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Public Affairs

Host Nation Events

1	Apr	04	Palm market at St. Wendel
2	Apr	04	Concert Vienna Blood, Stadttheater I-O
3&17	Apr	04	Flea market at Metz, France
3	Apr	04	Flea market at Homburg/Saar
5	Apr	04	Market at Kirn, 9 a.m.- 2 p.m.
11	Apr	04	Easter Concert Music Association Ruschberg, 8 p.m.Bürgerhaus
11	Apr	04	Flea market, Idar, Vollmersbachstrasse
24&25	Apr	04	10th Fairy Tale Fest St. Wendel
30	Apr	04	Raising of the May pole/Witches Night
30	Apr	04	Hexenrock Night Brühlhalle Baumholder

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Public Affairs

Host Nation Events

3	May	04	Market at Kirn, 9 a.m. – 2 p.m.
7-9	May	04	Brewery Fest at the Kirner brewery house at Kirn
7-9	May	04	May market at Oberstein
8	May	04	Peach blossom fest at Reichenbach
8	May	04	Mother's Day Concert at Berglangenbach Markthalle, 8 p.m.
8	May	04	Flea market at Homburg/Saar
9	May	04	Flea market at Idar, Vollmersbachstrasse
15&16 May	04		Maibowlenfest/Welcome Home Party downtown Baumholder
15&16 May	04		Volksmarch at Herschweiler-Pettersheim

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Public Affairs

Host Nation Events

15 & 29 May	04	Flea market at Metz, France
16 May	04	International museum day, Baumholder, old city hall, 10 a.m.- 6 p.m.
20 May	04	Castle fest at Frauenburg, 9 a.m.
21-23 May	04	City fest at St. Wendel
22&23 May	04	Europe fest at Oberstein
22&23 May	04	Herzdrigger market at Altenglan
27 May	04	Whitsun market at St. Wendel
29&30 May	04	Volksmarch at Reichweiler
29 May	04	Team Triathlon competition at Kusel
		info at: www.team-triathlon.de

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OPEN FORUM

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